

FREE SCOUT ACTIVITIES at the New Jersey WILD Outdoor Expo

September 13 & 14, 2014, 10 AM – 5 PM

Colliers Mills Wildlife Management Area Jackson Township, NJ

Free Admission & Parking
No reservation or fee for programs or activities.
Badge Counselors will <u>not</u> be present at the Expo.

The **New Jersey WILD Outdoor Expo** celebrates the state's bountiful natural resources and rich outdoor heritage. The event is hosted by the NJDEP Division of Fish and Wildlife, Division of Parks and Forestry, the State Forestry Services and the Conserve Wildlife Foundation of New Jersey.

The Expo helps people connect with the natural world by providing a unique blend of conservation information, education and hands-on opportunities to learn outdoor skills and activities. Numerous environmental and conservation exhibits, demonstrations and seminars are planned for the weekend. Visitors can learn about, and try, a wide array of activities including fishing, hiking, shooting sports, kayaking, camping skills, rock climbing, wildlife watching and much more.











For more information, or to be added to the scout mailing list, please contact Stephanie Feigin at 609-984-0621 or sfeigin@conservewildlifenj.org



Boy Scout Badge Activities & Programs New Jersey WILD Outdoor Expo September 13 & 14, 2014, 10 AM – 5 PM

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Wolf Cub:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
11:00am, 2:30pm/ 11:30am, 1:30pm, 4:00pm	Birds	Walk departure Area/Falconer Tent	Beginner Birding Walk	ID birds in the wild

Bear Cub:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
All Day	Family Outdoor Adventure	All	All	Attend an outdoor event with your family
1:30pm	Photography	CameraScapes Booth in Exhibitor Area	"Wildlife Photography Techniques" Program by CamraScapes.com	Learn wildlife photography, take lots of pictures
10:30am, 12:30pm, 2:00pm	Nature Crafts	Forestry Stewardship Row/ Forestry Tree ID walks	Forestry Tree ID Walks	Learn about trees and how to identify them Collect, press, and label ten kinds of leaves
3:00pm	Water and Soil Conservation	Program Building	Protect and Restore Barnegat Bay Program	Discusses how to improve water quality, sources of pollution in the watershed and how protect and restore the Barnegat Bay.
11:00am	Let's Go Camping	Program Building	Backpacking Basics	Learn about the ten essential items you need for a hike or campout. Assemble your own kit of essential items. Explain why each item is "essential."

Webelo:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
10:30am, 12:30pm, 2:00pm	Forester	Forestry Tree ID Walks	Forestry Tree ID Walks	Learn about trees and how to identify them
All day	Naturalist	All	Multiple Activities throughout the day	Snakes, insects, fish, wildlife information, programs and demos
All day	Outdoorsman	All	Multiple Activities throughout the day	Participate in an outdoor conservation project

Boy Scout:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
11:00am, 2:30pm/ 11:30am, 1:30pm, 4:00pm	Bird Study	Walk departure Area/Falconer Tent	Beginner Birding Walk/ Flight of the Raptor	Explain the need for bird study, demonstrate the bird field guide, seabird, plover, hawk or falcon, warbler, heron or egret, sparrow
All day	Fish and Wildlife	Multiple activities	All	Observe and record 25 species of wildlife
All day	Management	throughout the day	All	(any of the bird walks, quail, snakes, etc.)
All day	Mammal Study	Multiple activities throughout the day	Turkey calling, wild game skinning demo, game species demos	Game mammals, research study skins
All day	Nature	Multiple activities throughout the day	Snakes, insects, fish, wildlife information, programs and demos	Snakes, insects, fish, wildlife information, programs and demos
10:30am, 2:00pm	Geocaching	Program Building/ Geocaching 101 Area	Geocaching 101	Geocaching 101 and follow the WILD Cache Geo-trail
1:30pm	Photography	CameraScapes Booth in Exhibitor Area	Wildlife Photography Techniques	Learn from an expert about wildlife and nature photography techniques, take lots of photos
12:00, 2:00pm	Disabilities	Wounded Warriors Booth in Exhibitor Area	Wounded Warrior Program for Service Dogs	Learn how animals help humans with disabilities
1:00pm/ 1:00pm/ 10:30am, 12:30pm, 2:00pm	Plant science	Program Building/Walk Departure Area/Tree ID walks	Honey Bees and Pollinators: What you can do to support them/WILD Edibles Walk/Tree ID Walk	Learn about honey bees, WILD Edibles walks, Tree ID

All day/ 10:30am, 12:30pm, 2:00pm	Forestry	Forestry Stewardship Row/ Forestry Tree ID walks	Tree ID Walks	Learn about trees and how to identify them and investigate various forestry stewardship activities
11:00am, 1:00 PM	Insect study	Program Building and Fernbrook Farms Insect Safari Exhibit in Environmental Tent	Honey Bees and Pollinators: What you can do to support them	Learn about pollinators, try a bug craft, see bugs in action, explore bug habitat
11:30 AM, 3:00 PM	SCUBA	Fish Tank	Sport SCUBA diving memo	Divers demonstrate the use of sport diving equipment with a narrator describing both dive equipment and dive techniques. Programs also teach about New Jersey's marine environment, laws and regulations for swimming and SCUBA diving in New Jersey.
11:00am, 1:00 pm, 2:30pm/ 10:30 am, 12:30 pm, 2:00 pm	Hiking	Walk departure Area/Tree ID Walks Area	Birding Walk/Tree ID Walks	Pick a hiking trail and hunt for sounds of animals and birds and learn about native plants
All day	Archery	Archery and Shotgun Rages Area	Intro to Archery	Introductions to archery and shotgun shooting for people ages 10+, while emphasizing safety and their role in the wise use of renewable wildlife resources
All day	Shotgun Shooting	Archery and Shotgun Rages Area	Intro to Archery	Introductions to archery and shotgun shooting for people ages 10+, while emphasizing safety and their role in the wise use of renewable wildlife resources



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Junior:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
1:30pm	Digital Photographer	CameraScapes Booth in Exhibitor Area	II WIIGIITE PROTOGRANNY	Learn from an expert about wildlife and nature photography techniques, take lots of photos

Cadette:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
12:00, 2:00pm	Animal Helpers	Wounded Warriors Booth in Exhibitor Area	Wounded Warrior Service	Learn how animals help humans with disabilities
All day/10:30am, 12:30pm, 2:00pm	Naturalist: Trees	Forestry Stewardship Row/ Forestry Tree ID walks	Tree ID Walks	Learn about trees and how to identify them and investigate various forestry stewardship activities

Senior:

Time	Badge	Location	Program	Description
11:00 am/ 11:00, 11:30am, 12:30, 2:00,3:00pm	Outdoors Adventurer	Program Building/ REI Outdoor Adventure Area	Backpacking Basics	Learn backpacking gear & lightweight backpacking tips and tricks
All day	Voice for Animals	Multiple activities throughout the day	Multiple activities throughout the day	Investigate animals used for science, explore animals in husbandry, look at animals used in sports and entertainment, look into animal issues